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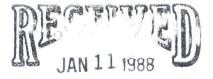
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January 8, 1988

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UIVISION OF OIL, GAS & MINING

Re: Mining and Reclamation Plan M/027/008-(86)1 - Crystal Peak Minerals Corporation, Sevier Lake Project, Millard County, Utah

Dear Frank:

ROBERT G. PRUITT, JR. OLIVER W. GUSHEE, JR.

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A. JOHN DAVIS, III FREDERICK M. MACDONALD

In accordance with our telephone conversation today, enclosed is revised Reclamation Cost Estimate to be substituted for the estimate presently attached to the Notice of Intention to Revise Large Mining Operations and Mining and Reclamation Plan dated December 4, 1987. The revised estimate reduces a portion of the credit allocable to the completed reclamation of the Borrow area on 1987 activities.

Our understanding of the reason for the requested revision is that until such time as a site inspection occurs on the reclamation of the Borrow area and the success of the reclamation can be confirmed, it is necessary to retain a portion of the Bond allocable to that activity. Hence, the restoration to the estimated total reclamation of the sum of \$2,831.00.

Also, in accordance with your request, I have prepared and enclose an excerpt taken from page 6 of the narrative on the 1988 Mining Plan attached to the Notice of Intention of December 7, 1987 dealing with the proposed reclamation.

As noted in a recent telephone conversation with Lowell, Crystal Peak is anxious that approval of the amendment of 12/7/87 to 00/027/008-(86)1 be coordinated with the Board approval of Mr. Frank Filas January 8, 1988 Page two

Crystal Peak's reclamation bond. It is possible to perform work in the Dry Lake area all-year-around and Crystal Peak intends to move ahead on the 1988 plan as quickly as possible.

Very truly yours,

O. W. Gushee, Jr.

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cc: Larry Sower
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CRYSTAL PEAK MINERALS CORPORATION

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Reclamation Cost Estimate

1987 - 1988 Construction Activities Sevier Lake Project PRO/027/008-86(1)

1987 Activities (Approved Action)

A - Borrow Area, grade and contour	\$ 1,100.00
B - Borrow Area, revegetate	6,800.00
C - Dike Reclamation	20,000.00
D - Water Well Plugging (2 wells)	5,000.00
E - Campsite Reclamation	3,500.00
10% Contingency	3,500.00
Total	\$38,900.00
<u>Less</u> Completed Reclamation	
A and B - Borrow area now graded, contoured, re-seeded	5,400.00
D - Water well successfully completed. Per lease stipulations	
BLM will assume well at completion of project	2,500.00
Less part of 10% contingency	900.00
Revised total reclamation cost on existing works	\$30,100.00

Reclamation Cost Estimate, Continued:

Planned 1988 Activities (Refer to 1988 Mining Plan)

A - Reclamation of planned 1988 dikes and collection ditches	\$ 82,200.00
B - Reclamation of pilot pond system	1,700.00
10% Contingency	8,400.00
Total	\$ 92,300.00

Combined Reclamation Surety required for CPMC

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1987 Construction	\$ 30,100.00
1988 Construction	92,300.00
Total (1988 Dolla	rs) \$122,400.00
Total (1993 Dolla	rs)* \$135,169.00
*(Escalation for 5 years @ 2%/ye	ar)

EXCERPT

Taken from Page 6 of CRYSTAL PEAK MINERALS CORPORATION SEVIER LAKE PROJECT - 1988 MINING PLAN

Reclamation

Eventual reclamation of the dikes and ditches on the lake bed will be accomplished by either, 1) breaching and natural erosion if the lake level is high or, 2) physically leveling the works with a high flotation bulldozer if the lake is dry. Estimated reclamation costs for the 2nd procedure are:

D-6 Cat, side track @ \$70/hr. @ 1000/ft/day of dike or ditch = \$82,200.00

Level test ponds by same method 24 hrs. @ \$70/hr

1,700.00

Contingency @ 10%

8,400.00

Total

\$ 92,300.00

Reclamation bonding will be posted pursuant to regulations of the State of Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.